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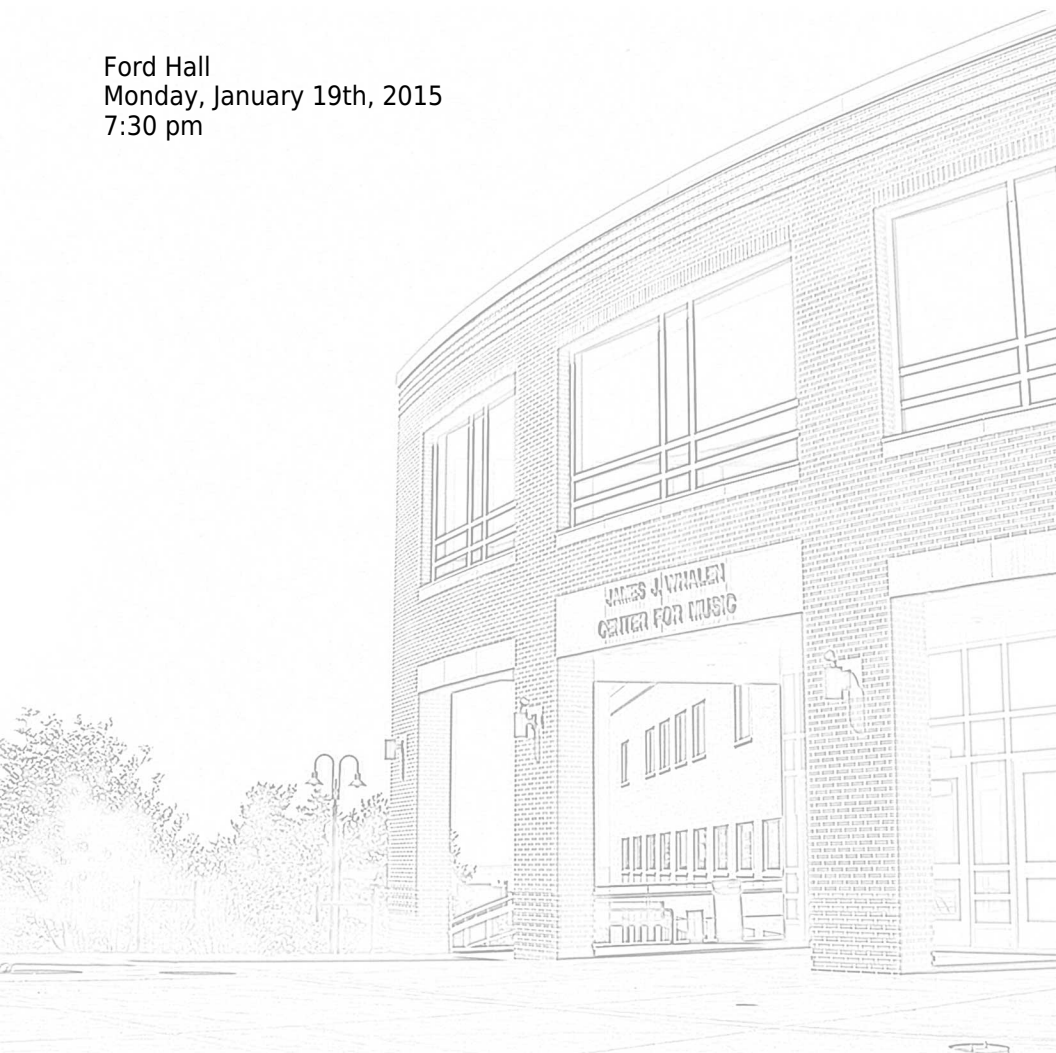
Janet Galván, Derrick Fox, Baruch Whitehead, Ithaca College Chorus, Ithaca College Choir, Ithaca College African Drumming and Dance Ensemble, and Dorothy Cotton Jubilee Singers

Ithaca College School of Music Annual MLK Celebration 2015

"Whose Dream is it anyway?"

Directed by Janet Galván, Derrick Fox and Baruch
Whitehead

Ford Hall
Monday, January 19th, 2015
7:30 pm



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School of Music

Program

African Voices

Mali

African Drumming and Dance Ensemble
Baruch Whitehead, director

Prayer

from Nightsongs

H. Leslie Adams

Text by Langston Hughes

Eliodoro Castillo, bass-baritone
Ali Cherrington, piano

Lilizela

trad. Xhosa Compiler Mollie Stone

Didn't My Lord Deliver Daniel

Moses Hogan

Ithaca College Chorus
Derrick Fox, conductor

Excerpts from I've Been to the
Mountaintop

Martin Luther King, Jr.

Martin Luther King, Jr.
1929-1968

Percious Lord

Thomas Dorsey

Elbonee "Trece" Stevenson, soloist
Tom Peters, piano

Reflections

Dean Karl Paulnack, Ithaca College School of Music

You Can Tell the World

Margaret Bonds

Cherisse Williams, soprano
Richard Montgomery, piano

A Change is Gonna Come

Sam Cooke

Dwight Carroll, guitar
John White, piano

Order My Steps

Glenn Burleigh

*Heather Barnes, soprano
Dorothy Cotton Jubilee Singers*

I Don't Feel Noways Tired

Curtis Burrell

*Josiah Spellman, baritone
Dorothy Cotton Jubilee Singers
Baruch Whitehead, director*

Fading Lights

Ken Kreuzer

*Hal Reynolds, trombone
with members of the Ithaca College Trombone Troupe*

Amazing Grace

trad. Arr. Frank Campos

Frank Campos, trumpet

MLK

U2

D'quan Tyson, baritone

Earth Song

Frank Ticheli

*Ithaca College Choir
Janet Galván, conductor*

Scandalized My Name

trad.arr.Stan Spottswood

*Heather Barnes, soprano
Cherisse Williams, soprano
D'quan Tyson, baritone
Eliodoro Castillo, bass-baritone*

Stand Up, Speak Out

Raymond Wise

*Brittney Aiken, soprano
Sherley-Ann Belleus, alto
Joshua Dufour, baritone
Namarah McCall, alto
Keepers of the Dream Ensemble
Brain DeMaris, piano and vocal coach*

Program Notes

Common's speech at the Golden Globe Awards captured the spirit of Martin Luther King in his acceptance speech for winning best song for "Glory" from the movie Selma. Common began the duo's acceptance speech with these inspiring words, which touched on current events from Ferguson to Brooklyn.

"The first day I stepped on the set of Selma, I began to feel like this was bigger than a movie. As I got to know the people of the Civil Rights Movement, I realized, I am the hopeful black woman who was denied her right to vote. I am the caring white supporter, killed on the front lines of freedom. I am the unarmed black kid, who maybe needed a hand, but instead was given a bullet. I am the two fallen police officers murdered in the line of duty. Selma has awakened my humanity, and I thank you Ava. Ava, you are a superhero, You used art to elevate us all and bring us together ... We look to the future and we want to create a better world. Now is our time to change the world. Selma is now."

Whose Dream is it Anyway? It's our. Go Out and Make a Difference!!!